## Hixburg

Hixburg, Nov. 10.- A crowd gathered at the Enoch Roberts farm, which was sold at auction on Saturday A. M.

This tract of land was bought by a real estate firm in Lynchburg for Mr. Hans van Nes Allen, of Talas. These acres adjoin the old Billy Ford place, which Mr. Allen now owns. The dividing line between the Ford and Roberts plantations is the Appomattox River. Many memories of long ago are associated with this spot.

As the Union Church, then at Hixburg, had no Baptismal pool, the river, which formed an impressive natural pool, was used. The list of those immersed there comprised the names of Kate Sears Ligon, Hermion Glenn, Pat and Ed McPhillips, Lloyd Coleman, Otis Coleman McPhillips, Sears Hix and many others.

Some people are beginning to realize that they are a part of the government when they exercise the right to vote. The ballots cast here on Nov. 4 were about the same number as were polled at the Presidential election.

Mrs. Alfred Harwood, Sr., is convalescing in the home of her son, Alfred Harwood, Jr. She walks around in the house, and is cheerful. She asserts, "There is good in everything. Everybody at the hospital was nice to me, and now I'm having a good rest."

Harwood Hix, who is working in Washington, has secured pleasant living quarters in Alexandria, Va., for himself and his family.

Lee Glenn is taking his son, Luther, back to the Gill Hospital in Roanoke this week for treatment.

The Hixburg Hunt Club is to meet at Jim Taylor's Store on Wednesday evening. Eugene Sears is president, and Henry Covington is secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fore, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fore, Jr., were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Rogers, of Blacksburg. Dr. and Mrs. E. N. Pleasants, of Philadelphia were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fore several days last week.

Mrs. Belle Marshall and Dr. Twyman Williams were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Covington.

Mrs. Covington was pleased with Patricia's, her daughter's, report card. Patricia still declares, "I love school." Mrs. Carlton Wayne is her teacher at Pamplin Elementary School.

After spending a week-end with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Barnett returned to their home in Bluefield, Va. on Nov. 2. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Carson, and Jamie Kay. Walter Carson left on Thursday for Bluefield to bring his family home on Sunday.

## Stonewall

Stonewall, Nov. 10.- Our community has been so saddened by the passing of Mrs. Lyle Caldwell and Mr. Charlie Brown. We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of each one.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Nixon and son of North Carolina spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Burnette.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Carson, of Roanoke; Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Showalters and Steve, and Mr. and Mrs. Cantrell Smith and girls, of Lynchburg visited Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Carson on Sunday.

Rev. Aaron D. Smith preached a grand sermon at Bethel Church on Sunday morning. He was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chick.

Rev. Colle Rock is leaving today for Virginia Beach to attend the Baptist General Association. We hope for him a safe trip there and back to us.

There will be prayer meeting at Bethel Church on Wednesday night of this week, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Aaron Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Collins, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Caldwell.

Mrs. Parks Jennings, Mrs. Monroe Dysse and Mrs. Lester Carson visited Mrs. Neal Williams, and family in Lynchburg on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Elsie Caldwell, of Evington spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caldwell, Jr., and attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lyle Caldwell.

Mrs. R. H. Thornhill has returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Floyde Weidman, and children in Delaware, Md.

Mrs. C. M. Stratton is visiting with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thomas, in Senatobia, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Tanner, of Lynchburg visited their parents over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Tanner.

Mrs. Tom Davidson and Mrs. Erwin Chick were helping Mrs. Wallace Bondurant quilt on last Wednesday.

Mr. Bob Wheeler, of Richmond, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irby Wheeler. He also attended the funeral of Mrs. Lyle Caldwell at Hebron on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beard and Lawrence visited her parents and his mother on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davidson and Edward spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison and boys.

**BLIND SPOT**

Prestonburg, Ky.- Five volunteer firemen dashed out of a recent civic club meeting at Wise's Restaurant when the fire siren blasted.

Driving toward city hall, they met the fire truck and turned to follow.

It led them right back to Wise's Restaurant where a kitchen fire had been put out shortly after the alarm was phoned to city hall.

**INCOMPLETE SALE**

Holly, Mich.- Farmer Peter Bower sold six of his seven goats when he found them nibbling on the electrical wiring in the barn. Then a fire destroyed the barn and its contents. Damages were estimated at $8,000.

Bower surmises the seventh goat probably started the blaze by chewing on the wires. The goat died in the fire.

## Health and Beauty

Today's children are not taller than their grandparents in the long run. However, they do grow faster.

Babies today are not taller at birth than those of 1900; a difference in height shows at 18 months and becomes increasingly greater until about age 14, for boys.

The average boy of 14 years today is at least five inches taller and weighs about 12 pounds more than those of 60 to 70 years ago. The modern miss at 12 has a similar lead over her grandmother as a girl.

Taking into consideration the considerable difference on the surface, the end result is less outstanding than one would believe at first glance. Although modern youths are taller earlier in life, there is no real evidence that at maturity either sex is taller than the grandparents.

Did you know that at birth the normal term can vary as much as six pounds in weight and five inches in length?

The important thing is steady increase in and height.

Make sure that the needed amounts of healthful diet, love and loved, and you have a successful basis for mental and physical

One word of advice post too much from Any parents who have children will give you

**GIVEN THE BIRD**

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## H. S. NEWSCAST

By Peggy Godsey

...reporter for A. H. S.

...of the Beta Club ...High School on Oct. ...officers were elected. They are as follows:

...President, Carolyn Cunningham
...Vice President, Donna Morris
...Secretary, Linda Wood
...Reporter, Carol Henry.

...Mrs. Gilbert ...Charles Gills.

...club's sponsor is Mrs. ...

...meeting was held on ...called to order by ...and the chaplain led ...The float for the ...parade was discussed, and so was the Beta Convention to be held in Richmond.

The program was led by the program chairman, Peggy Godsey. She read the Beta Pledge, Purpose, and Creed.

Mrs. Holland then took charge of the program and administered the Pledge to the new and old members. She then presented the new members with their certificates and club pins.

—Charles Gills, Reporter.

The S. C. A. District Meeting was held at William Campbell High School on Nov. 3. There were five discussion groups led by the various high schools in the district. The reports of the discussion groups are as follows:

"How Can the S. C. A. Sell Itself"

Our group was led by Carlton Staples, of Amherst. Our first topic was the projects of the S. C. A. Each delegate told of the projects in his school. Some of the projects are: sponsoring student of the month, clean-up campaigns, planting shrubs and trees, controlling hall traffic and noise, sponsoring honor rolls, and publishing handbooks for new students.

The second topic dealt with assembly programs. Some schools have regular monthly assemblies. Many have them for campaign speeches, special meetings, and to explain the functions of the S. C. A.

The third topic concerned student publicity. Many of the schools make posters on citizenship and sportamanship. Some have the honor roll posted or put in the local newspaper. Devotions are held by the S. C. A. in some schools and also they sponsor many dances.

The last topic was about the S. C. A. and the P-T. A. It is a requirement in some schools that each representative attend at least one P-T. A. meeting each year. All delegates agreed that these two organizations should work together.

—Charles Gills.

"What part should the S. C. A. play in the development of good sportsmanship and proper conduct at all school functions?"

The word sportsmanship was defined and we found that it meant one who was fair and generous in all sports. Each school told what they were doing and how it helped in solving this problem. Some of the activities of the schools are as follows: sponsoring an award to an outstanding athlete, having pep rallies, and other activities that would create interest in the athletic events of the school. One group thought that all school functions should be approved by the principal. Our school should always welcome the opposing team and be courteous to them. The S. C. A. representatives should set an example by exercising good conduct and good citizenship at all times.

—Robert Garrett.

"How can the S. C. A. improve student-faculty relations?"

The relationship between the students and teachers should be a friendly one but should not be close enough to effect grades. If teachers are friendly to one student they should be friendly to all. Teachers should be friendly but should still demand respect of the students.

There should be meetings of faculty and executive council to plan school activities such as dances or to discuss improvements in the school. There should be recreation in which students and faculty participate such as student - faculty basketball and volleyball games and picnics. The council can improve student - faculty relations by welcoming new and regular teachers to school in the fall and making them feel needed and liked. When school activities are held, as many teachers as possible should be invited. The group thought that in getting full co-operation from students and faculty the council must be active and carry out their projects properly and efficiently.

—Dennis Torrence,
—Peggy Godsey.

## Rocks

Rocks, Nov. 10.- We really did have a big frost here Saturday A. M.

Rev. W. H. Elder had charge of the prayer service on Tuesday night.

Hunters are just waiting for the season to open.

Farmers will soon be getting tobacco ready for the market when it opens.

The Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Rhomy Wilson on Thursday night.

Mrs. D. R. Inge spent Tuesday with Mrs. Mary Inge.

Quite a few were visiting Claude Leffel at the Virginia Baptist Hospital last week.

L. C. Elder had his house painted last week.

Mrs. Clara Garrett, of Evergreen was overnight guest of her daughter, Mrs. Toby Inge Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ranson, of Lebanon spent a few days here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ranson.

Mrs. Hunter Martin entered Virginia Baptist Hospital on Sunday, where she will undergo an operation on Monday. This is the 3rd operation this year. We do wish her a speedy recovery.

Ruby Richardson spent Sunday with Christine Dickerson.

A very large crowd attended the shower given Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis Saturday night at their home near Appomattox.

Mrs. Walter Ranson was visiting her sister, Mrs. T. R. Richardson last week at the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

Play safe — drive carefully.

## Homemakers Items

Does your child have a good place at home to study?

The Virginia Farm and Home Electrification Council claims children can learn a great deal faster, and be more comfortable in the process, if they have good study conditions for their home work.

In poor lighting, the child may squint and strain to see, and may damage his eyes and miss questions on tests he has studied hours to master—all because of poor lighting, the Council says.

First, the child should have a study desk or table covered with a light blotter. The blotter helps to spread the light and cuts down on contrast between books and dark furniture.

A good lamp properly placed is an important factor. The table lamp should be placed 15 inches to the left of the work center and 12 inches from the front edge of the desk.

Shades should be a minimum of 8 inches in diameter across the top, 10 inches deep, and 16 inches in diameter across the bottom. Be sure the inside of the shade is white to diffuse the light.

The important part of any lamp is under the shade. For good quality light, the lamp must have a diffuser. Various types may be used, but the CLM glass diffuser is considered best. The bowl-type diffuser also will give good quality light. The diffuser should have an 8-inch top diameter. Use a 3-way 50/150 watt light bulb with the lamp.

The R-40 type bulb has a built-in diffuser and can be used effectively with the study lamp. The type of R-40 to use is a 3-way 50/150 watt white indirect bulb. Of course, to use the bulb, the lamp must be equipped with a 3-way switch and a wide harp.

**RADAR SHARP IN DAYLIGHT**

North Hollywood, Calif. A new radar unit makes sharp images on the viewing scope even in bright daylight. Developed by a division of Bendix Aviation Corporation, the unit is mainly for use in aircraft. The set weighs less than 16 pounds and has a 4-inch viewing area.

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